

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UTILITY PATENT  
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Box PATENT APPLICATION  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of Alessandro CARROZZI; Fabio REZZONICO; Orfeo CONTRADA; Gianni SARASSO; and Alessio FACHINATO for MACHINE FOR DIAGNOSTIC AND/OR THERAPEUTIC TREATMENT, PARTICULARLY A NUCLEAR MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING MACHINE.

Also enclosed are:

- ☒ 8 sheet(s) of ☒ formal ☐ informal drawing(s);
- ☒ a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 is ☒ hereby made to SV98A000052 filed in ITALY on October 5, 1998; ☐ in the declaration;
- ☐ a certified copy of the priority document;
- ☐ a Constructive Petition for Extensions of Time;
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ statement(s) claiming small entity status;
- ☐ an Assignment document;
- ☐ an Information Disclosure Statement; and
- ☒ Other: unexecuted Declaration

The declaration of the inventor(s) ☐ also is enclosed ☒ will follow.

- ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§119 and/or 365 to SV98A000052 filed in ITALY on October 5, 1998; the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.--

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The filing fee has been calculated as follows [X] and in accordance with the enclosed preliminary amendment:

CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$760.00
Total Claims	38	MINUS 20 =	18	x \$18.00	324.00
Independent Claims	3	MINUS 3 =	0	x \$78.00	0
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$260.00					
Total Application Fee					1,084.00
If verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					
Add Assignment Recording Fee of \$40.00 if Assignment document is enclosed					
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					1,084.00

[X] A check in the amount of \$ 1,084.00 is enclosed for the fee due.

[ ] Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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Sir:

Enclosed please find 11 sheet(s) of formal drawings for review by the Patent and Trademark Office. Should the enclosed drawings require changes, it is respectfully requested that the Patent and Trademark Office notify the undersigned of same.

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**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES**

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Approval is requested for amending Figures 2, 4, 6, 7, and 11-19 shown in red ink on the accompanying copies.

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